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AMENDMENT A

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Dear Sir:

This amendment is in response to the Office Action dated August 11, 2005, for which a response is due on November 11, 2005. The amendments set forth herein are provided solely to clarify the invention as filed and set forth in the pending claims in order to comply with applicable statutes and regulations. The amendments are not intended to limit the invention or preclude the application of equivalents which Applicant may be entitled to under law.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper, and

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.